## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Tanuma et al

Serial No.:

09/282,772

Filed:

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For:

LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY

DEVICE OPERATING IN A

VERTICALLY ALIGNED MODE

OF LIQUID CRYSTAL

**MOLECULES** 

Art Unit:

2871

Examiner: Qi, Z.

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as FIRST-CLASS mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, by this date.

July 11, 2002

Date

Registration No. 47,954
Attorney for Applicants

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

Extension fee for response within first month:

( )	By a small entity (1.9(f))	\$	55.00
(X)	By other than a small entity	\$	110.00
Extension fee for response within second month:			
( )	By a small entity (1.9(f))	\$ :	200.00
( )	By other than a small entity	\$ 4	400.00
Extension fee for response within third month:			
( )	By a small entity (1.9(f))	\$ -	460.00
( )	By other than a small entity	\$ 9	920.00
Extension fee for response within fourth month:			
( )	By a small entity (1.9(f))	\$	720.00
( )	By other than a s mall entity	\$1,	440.00
Extension fee for response within fifth month:			
( )	By a small entity (1.9(f))	\$	980.00
( )	By other than a small entity	\$1,	960.00

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. Should no proper amount be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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July 11, 2002

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Respectfully Submitted,

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